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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT Washington, D.C. 20231

## Dear Sir:

Responsive to an Office Action dated December 23, 2002 (Paper No. 4) as entered in the above-captioned matter, Applicant hereby respectfully submits the following amendment and response, without prejudice or disclaimer.

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please enter the following amendments to the specification by replacing the paragraphs identified below with their accompanying text. Marked-up versions of the amended paragraphs are appended hereto for the Examiner's reference and convenience.